



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Chunhua YAN et al.

Art Unit: 1642

Serial No.: 09/770,689

Examiner: K. Canella

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For: ISOLATED HUMAN RAS-LIKE
PROTEINS, NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES
ENCODING THESE HUMAN RAS-LIKE
PROTEINS, AND USES THEREOF

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Response to Office Action

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action issued by Examiner Canella on June 4, 2003, Applicants request reconsideration of the above-referenced patent application in view of the following amendments and remarks. A Petition for One-Month Extension of Time is filed herewith. Please charge the fee for the Extension of Time to Deposit Account No. 50-0970.

Please amend the application as follows: